

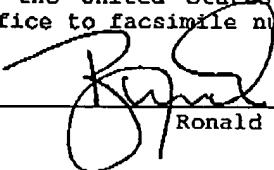
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PATENT

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BEFORE THE HONORABLE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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Applicant : Noriyuki TAMURA et al.
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and
Interferences from the decision dated March 9, 2010, of the Primary
Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-16.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. XX A petition for an extension of time to respond to the

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final rejection was filed on September 9, 2010, for three months.

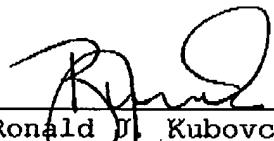
2. A timely response to the final rejection has been
filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.

3. XX Fee \$ 540.00 or Small Entity \$255.00

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 Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)

In the event this paper is not considered to be timely filed,
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The fee for this extension may be charged to our Deposit Account
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